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PART IV-A

**Rules and Orders (Other than those published in Parts I, I-A, and I-L) made
by the Government of Gujarat under the Central Acts**

FOOD, CIVIL SUPPLIES AND CONSUMER AFFAIRS DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar, 30th January, 2021.

LEGAL METROLOGY ACT, 2009.

NO: GTH/2021/2/KMV/122013/535638/D:- WHEREAS certain draft rules were published as required by subsection (4) of section 53 of Legal Metrology Act, 2009 (1 of 2010), at pages 247-1 to 247-2 in the Gujarat Government Gazette, Extraordinary Part IV-A dated 30th December, 2020, under the Government Notification, Food, Civil Supplies and Consumer Affairs Department, No. GTH/2020/23/KMV/122013/535638/D, dated the 19th December, 2020 inviting objection or suggestion from all persons likely to be affected thereby within a period of thirty days from the date of publication of the said notification in the *Official Gazette*.

AND WHEREAS, no objections or suggestions have been received by the Government;

NOW, THEREFORE, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of section 53, read with clause (c) of sub-section (2) of section 53 of the Legal Metrology Act, 2009 (1 of 2010) and after consultation with the Central Government, the Government of Gujarat hereby makes the following rules, further to amend the Gujarat Legal Metrology (Enforcement) Rules, 2011, namely:-

1. (1) These rules may be called the Gujarat Legal Metrology (Enforcement) (Amendment) Rules, 2021.
- (2) They shall extend to the whole of the State of Gujarat.
- (3) They shall come into force from the date of their publication in the *Official Gazette*.

2. In the Gujarat Legal Metrology (Enforcement) Rules, 2011, in rule 11, for sub-rule (4), the following sub-rule shall be substituted, namely:-

"(4) Every licence issued to a manufacturer, repairer or dealer of weights and measures shall be valid up to sixty months and may be automatically renewed, for a period of sixty months on payment of such fees as specified in Schedule IV:

Provided that an inspection may be done, after the licence is automatically renewed, by the Controller or such other officer as may be authorised by him in this behalf and any violation found on inspection shall be liable for proceedings under rule 12."

By order and in the name of the Governor of Gujarat,

PANKAJ PANCHAL,

Deputy Secretary to Government.
